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## MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION

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Dear Sir:

Submitted herewith under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b) is an English language translation of the specification and claims of the application identified above, three (3) sheets of formal drawings, the German language specification and claims in the form of a certified copy of the priority document, a Declaration and Power of Attorney form and a Preliminary Amendment.

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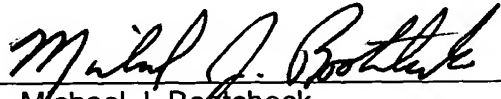
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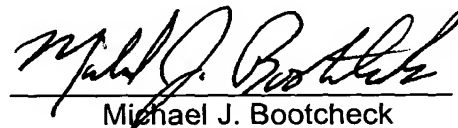
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